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## BOSTON CAPTURES SECOND GAME BY SCORE OF 1 TO 0

Mann's Kick Sends Deal Over the Plate and Wins Hard Fought Battle.

## JAMES TWIRLING HOLDS ATHLETICS TO 2 HITS

Plank, Quakertown Star, Allows Beaneaters Seven Finds—20,000 See Battle.

Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 10—In one of the most remarkable games in the history of world's series, the Boston Braves took their second game from the Athletics today, 1 to 0.

Their victory was due to the masterly pitching of Bill James. He held the slugging Mackian forces to two hits, disposed of them in order up to the ninth inning, and with four men facing him in the ninth, only 28 men took their places before him at the plate.

Eddie Plank, the Gettysburg veteran, opposing James, pitched almost as brilliantly. Plank was touched for seven hits, but he kept them widely scattered.

It was Deal, the Braves' substitute third baseman, who delivered the blow which really worked Plank's undoing. Five times previously during the two games Deal had opportunities to drive in Boston runs, but failed ingloriously. He was regarded as the weakest spot in the Braves' lineup. With one out in the ninth, Deal drove a double to deep center. He then stole third and scored on Mann's single. This hit was another tribute to the strategy of Stallings, the miracle man.

Following his usual scheme of switching his outfield for a left-hand pitcher, Stallings sent Mann to right field in place of Moran. His move was vindicated when Mann delivered the swat that drove in the winning run. The extent to which the Athletic batters have been at the mercy of the Braves' pitchers was shown by the fact that they have made seven hits in two days. Schang doubled in the sixth inning today, but was immediately out attempting to steal third. Collins beat out an infield hit to Evers which represents the entire efforts of the heretofore dreaded Mack artillery at the bat.

It appeared for a moment in the ninth inning today that James was weakening after the masterful way in which he handled the Athletics. He walked Barry. This was his second base on balls of the game, as he had passed Murphy, the first man up in the initial inning. After Schang fanned, Walsh also walked, but a double play eliminated any chance of the Athletics tying the score. James whiffed eight of the Athletic sluggers, putting McMinnis, Strunk Oldring and Schang on his list. McMinnis and Strunk fanned twice, and Oldring's fanning was his third of the series.

Plank struck out six men. James, his opponent in this great pitchers' battle, struck out every time he came to the plate. Plank gave four bases on balls, and it appeared for a time in the sixth inning that he was about to blow the game. He hit Schmidt with a slow one.

Butch was not permitted to take his base, and then fled to Murphy for the second out. Gowdy then walked, Plank apparently having lost control completely. He hit Maranville, and there were two men on bases. Deal again failed to come through, however, and forced Gowdy at third.

One of the most regal plays of the game was pulled off by Barry and McMinnis in the eighth inning. Cather hit a wicked roller straight toward second, which Barry came in for. Barry stabbed it and by a lightning throw shot it to McMinnis. It was wide, to the right of the bag. Stuff, his back toward the field, reached out for the ball and took it with one hand in a half-standing, half-reclining position.

The rooting in today's game surpassed anything before seen in a world's series. The crowd went mad as they pleaded with the Mackmen to

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## TOBACCO MEN TO EFFECT CORNER ON COTTON CROP

M. E. Lessem of Cape Girardeau Gets Instructions to Buy In Three States.

## TO INVADE MISSOURI BELT WITHOUT DELAY

Action By Blue Grass Men Will Relieve Conditions In Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

The tobacco men of Kentucky, among them some of the richest men in that state, have decided to relieve the conditions now prevailing in the cotton district of Southern Missouri, Northern Arkansas and in many parts of Oklahoma.

This announcement was made yesterday by M. E. Lessem, proprietor of the Riverview hotel, who also represents the Scott Tobacco Company of Bowling Green, Ky. He was ordered to buy all of the cotton that was for sale in this district for eight cents a pound. Mr. Lessem, who travels over Southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas for the Kentucky company, was given authority to make purchases over all of his territory and then go to Oklahoma.

He will depart tomorrow for the Kennett district and begin buying. Merchants who have been dealing with the Scott Tobacco company, will, in all probability, co-operate with Mr. Lessem in making the purchases.

It is said that the cotton will be shipped to various points in Kentucky where it will be stored in tobacco pens, and when these have been filled, the cotton will be stored near the town where the purchases were made, to be held until ready for shipment to points in the east.

"I have not been informed of the details of the company's plans," said Mr. Lessem last night, "but I suppose it is going to be purchased for speculation purposes. Most every one realizes that cotton is worth just as much this year as it has been in years gone by. In fact, it is or will be worth a great deal more within a short time, I believe."

"If the war should stop, the demand for cotton would exceed the supply and price, of course, would be much better than it is now. However, we are going to pay a fair price for it. In years when conditions over the country are normal, cotton is sold all through my territory for eight cents a pound. It is going for six this year and the growers are very glad to get that."

"By buying this crop the tobacco men in Kentucky will render a big favor to the merchants in the cotton country. These men have been buying tobacco from my house in Kentucky and the other tobacco companies that are associated with the Scott people."

"I have no idea what my firm is going to do with the cotton. I don't imagine they have received requests for it. I presume they will just hold it until the war comes to a close and then dispose of the whole amount. It should be a splendid investment."

"The growers in the lower part of Missouri and those in Northern Arkansas are really hard up and their condition has a bad effect upon the merchant. The merchant extends credit to the cotton growers, and in return the wholesale houses give the merchant credit while he is waiting for the cotton growers to pay. If the cotton men are unable to dispose of their crops, the merchant does get paid and that makes a bad effect all around."

"I have no idea what the tobacco men plan to do, but I know they will greatly relieve conditions down through the tobacco belt. By buying up the cotton they will make the whole territory more prosperous."

"I will buy all I can get until I get orders to quit buying and as my instructions were to purchase every bale I could find, I don't suppose I will be limited to any amount."

While Mr. Lessem works only for the Bowling Green concern, he said he understood that all of the tobacco men in the state of Kentucky had agreed to investigate in cotton.

## RUSSIAN CAVALRY IN THE CARPATHIANS



Detachment of Russian cavalry in the Carpathian mountains, the passes of which the czar's troops are now said to control.

## STEEPLE JACK ON CHURCH SPIRE'S TOP

Human Squirrel Climbs Up Dome of Lutheran Edifice While Crowd Watches.

A large assemblage of people gathered at the corner of Themis and Frederick streets yesterday afternoon to witness the operation of E. W. Rolph a steeple jack, who could be seen scampering up the sides and over the top of the dome of the Lutheran church with squirrel-like agility.

Rolph was engaged in removing the large bronzed ball from its lofty position on the spire of the church, and the fact he was working on a shaky and narrow platform 153 feet in the air, seemed to give him but little concern.

After releasing the huge globe from its fastenings, he let it down to the ground by means of a rope that he had taken with him for that purpose. The ball was taken down in order that it may receive a new coat of gold leaf, an other necessary repairs, and when the work of overhauling is completed, it will be restored to its regular resting place. The large metal sphere is 36 inches in circumference, and when examined after being taken down, showed seven perforations, presumably made by rifle balls.

When the daring climber was interviewed concerning the danger to which he is subjected in the practice of his profession, stated that the present contract upon which he is working is neither difficult nor dangerous as compared with some of his previous undertakings. He stated that on more than one occasion he had been required to scale abrupt stone walls several stories in height, with no other support or hand hold than the slight ledges formed by the connecting layers.

He related the death of his partner who was dashed to the ground while climbing a wall, when he mistook a shadow for a ledge, and lost his hold when reaching for it. He gave a demonstration of his skill in this respect by ascending for a few feet the perpendicular brick wall of the church, in which it was necessary for him to maintain his hold with the tip ends of his fingers in the uneven spaces between the bricks.

He expects to complete his work in this city next Monday, after which he will go to San Francisco where he has a large contract in the construction of some of the world's fair buildings.

## BROWNS WIN ANOTHER THEN LOSE A GAME

St. Louis, Oct. 10—The Browns made it three straight over the Cardinals in the first game of today's double-header, but the Huggins crew took the second game. In the first game the Browns shut out the Cardinals by a score of 2 to 0. The second game, which was called in the fifth, went to the Huggins team by a score of 2 to 0, the Cardinals making the two in the last inning.

## 2 MASKED BANDITS ROB NEGRO DRIVER

Lige Lambert Loses \$22 and Then He Shows Thieves How to Run.

Lige Lambert, a negro teamster employed by the Vogelsang Bros. Construction Co. of this city, was held up and robbed by two masked men, last night, near the corner of Frederick and William streets.

The robbers were standing in the shadow of a building and when Lige started to pass, one of them stepped in front of him and pointed a revolver in his face. He turned and started to run back to Haarig but was quickly overtaken and held by one of the highwaymen while the other one searched his pockets.

After securing \$22, all the money that he had in his possession, they ordered him to get out of sight as quickly as possible.

When he appeared at the police station a short time after the robbery he was still so badly frightened that he could scarcely talk. His coat was almost torn to pieces from having been seized by one of the bandits when he attempted to run. He could not state positively as to whether the men who robbed him were white or black.

He was on his way to meeting of the negro Masonic lodge, and had in his possession \$17 belonging to the order.

It is believed that the robbery was planned and executed by people of his own race who were familiar with his habits and knew that he would have the lodge funds in his pockets when he passed.

He stated that he was so badly scared when confronted, that he did not believe he could identify his assailants if they were brought before him.

The holdup occurred at about 8 o'clock, in a lonely, dark neighborhood where there have been a number of similar occurrences within the past two years.

## CAPE SCHOOLS ARE BECOMING CROWDED

Superintendent Crocker Installs New Seats to Care for Pupils

Superintendent J. M. Crocker reports that the school enrollment continues to increase, and that during the past week 25 new pupils have been received in the different schools of the city.

Mr. Crocker states that in order to avoid the necessity of securing additional room outside of the regular school buildings, more seats have been ordered, and that 90 new seats were received yesterday.

In the Jefferson school the seats are already so crowded that there now remains but about ten inches of space in the aisles. Special orders for small brooms have been given in order that the janitor may be enabled to sweep between the seats.

He expressed great satisfaction with the manner in which the school work is progressing, and in referring to that particular matter Mr. Crocker stated:

"I never witnessed a better beginning and I attribute the encouraging start to the excellent corps of teachers employed this year."

"Their team work is perfect, there has never been the slightest discord in the faculty, and under such pleasing conditions, good results are sure to obtain."

## FIRST JOLIET WARDEN DEAD AT NINETY-NINE

Omaha, Oct. 10—James Powell, formerly of Joliet, Ill., and first Warden of the Illinois State Penitentiary there, is dead here at the home of his daughter. When he was chief officer of the penitentiary it consisted of one long building. Mr. Powell was 99 years old. A son, Charles, resides at Ravenswood, Ill.

## ENGLISH NURSES LEAVE FOR BELGIUM



## KING ALBERT IS IN DANGER OF BEING CAPTURED

Germans Under Gen. Von Veseler are Pursuing Fleeing Ruler and his Army Which Deserted Antwerp, and London Hears Belgians are in a Critical Condition.

## BELGIAN CAPITAL FALLS INTO THE KAISER'S HANDS, SAYS BERLIN

Austrian Ambassador Gets Wireless From Berlin that Russians Have Lost Every Engagement—Germans Finish Winning Week With Big Capture—Allies Meet Series of Defeats.

(By Cable to The Tribune).

London, Oct. 10—King Albert of Belgium, at the head of the Belgian army which marched out of Antwerp yesterday to prevent being bottled up, is in a critical condition and the King and his soldiers may be taken prisoners within the next twenty-four hours. He is being pursued by a large detachment force of German soldiers under Gen. Von Veseler, which attempted to cut the King and his men off along the Dutch border. King Albert will be either forced to face battle in the field or seek refuge in Holland.

Queen Elizabeth reached London today, and announced that she would remain here until the war was over. Paris, Oct. 10—The official statement issued at 11 o'clock tonight said: "reports received from the general headquarters this afternoon merely announce contacts between two cavalry forces southwest of Lille, with a violent engagement at the south, east and north of Arras. A very vicious attack was made by the enemy on Meuse heights."

London, Oct. 10—A Reuter dispatch from Berlin says the General staff issued the following statement: "The entire fortress of Antwerp, including all forts are in our possession. Conditions elsewhere are most favorable to us. We have made progress all week."

Petrograd, Oct. 10—The general staff tonight issued the following statement: "The combat on the east Prussian frontier continues with the same obstinacy. The Germans are retreating from Lyck, blowing up bridges behind them. In several passes between Ivangorod and Vandemir artillery battles are taking place with the enemy, which approaches the Vistula."

Manchester, Mass., Oct. 10—The Austrian Ambassador tonight received the following wireless from Vienna: "Our advance in Galicia everywhere attained success, gaining ground incessantly. An officer returning from Fortress Lprzmsl reports the garrison in splendid condition and the fortress is conducted with the most activity and circumspection. All attacks made by the Russians were repulsed by the fire of the heavy guns. We inflicted heavy losses on the attacking columns."

London, Oct. 10—The Press Bureau of the Admiralty announces three British Naval brigades participated in the defense of Antwerp. One numbering 2,000 men was cut off by the Germans, and it entered Holland and was disarmed. The other two brigades reached Ostend. The British casualties were three hundred.

London, Oct. 10—The British War Office announces that Antwerp was evacuated by the Belgians yesterday.

An official Berlin dispatch, via Marconi wireless, confirms the report that Antwerp has been occupied. The official announcement, given out at German headquarters in Berlin late last night, says:

"This forenoon several forts of the inner line of fortifications of Antwerp have fallen. The town since midday has been in our possession. The commander and the garrison evacuated the fortifications. Only a few forts are still occupied by the enemy and this is without influence on our position in Antwerp."

The Hague, via London, Oct. 10—Antwerp surrendered to the Germans at 2:30 p. m., Friday, Oct. 9.

The war flag was removed from the cathedral and a white flag raised in its place at 9 a. m. The actual surrender took place five and one-half hours later.

Burgomaster De Voss, accompanied by Alderman Louis Franck, went to the Berchem gate. There they met Gen. von Beseler, commanding the German besieging forces, and made unconditional surrender of the city.

It is declared here that the Cathedral of Notre Dame has not been damaged. The Germans delivered one of their furious attacks between 6 and 7 o'clock Friday morning. The Belgians resisted them valiantly in their trenches and the desperate fighting resulted in very heavy losses on both sides.

During all Thursday night, Zeppelin airships directed the firing of the German heavy artillery, the results of which were appalling.

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The Belgians succeeded in blowing up two and possibly more of their enemy's batteries and heavy artillery.

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It can be stated on the authority of a high official in the Foreign Office that the Government has no thought of confiscating the property of alien enemies located within the confines of the British Empire.